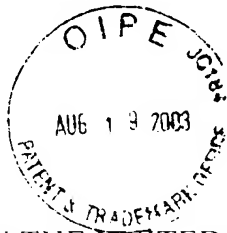


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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated March 19, 2003, setting a shortened three-month statutory period for response to expire on June 19, 2003, and having been extended by two months to expire on August 19, 2003, by the accompanying Request for Extension of Time, Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding objections and rejections in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks.